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10 INVENTION: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CONTROLLING AN
OPERATOR INTERFACE WITH DISPLAY FIELDS
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SIR:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicant requests
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20 §1.98, be made during the course of examination of the above mentioned
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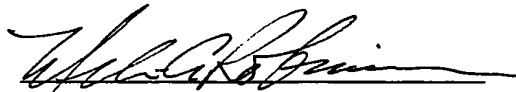
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REMARKS

Enclosed are copies of the references cited in the International Search Report as well as a copy of the German Patent Office action in the corresponding German application and the references cited therein.

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